



Meeting Agenda  
Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Idaho Resource Advisory Council (RAC)  
Wednesday, February 16, 2022  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Mountain Standard Time  
Virtual via Zoom

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
9:00 a.m.	Welcome, Introductions	Peter Ditton, Idaho State Director (Acting), BLM; Scott Nichols, RAC Chair; Skip Brandt, RAC Vice Chair
9:10 a.m.	Housekeeping, Review Agenda and Approve November 10, 2021 Meeting Minutes	Jennifer Jones Deputy State Director, Communications, Idaho State Office, BLM
9:15 a.m.	State Director Updates	Peter Ditton
9:30 a.m.	District Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Coeur d’Alene District</li><li>• Boise District</li><li>• Twin Falls District</li><li>• Idaho Falls District</li></ul>	Kurt Pindel, Coeur d’Alene/Spokane (WA) Districts Manager, BLM; Tanya Thrift, Boise District Manager (Acting), BLM; Mike Courtney, Twin Falls District Manager, BLM; Mary D’Aversa, Idaho Falls District Manager, BLM
10:15 a.m.	Break	

10:30 a.m.	Proposed Lava Ridge Wind Energy Project/Subcommittee Update and Planning	Codie Martin, Field Manager, Shoshone Field Office, BLM; Scott Nichols; Skip Brandt; Leon Smith, Chair, Lava Ridge Subcommittee
11:30 a.m.	Camping Overstays on Public Lands	Becky Andres, Idaho Chief Ranger, BLM
12:00 p.m.	BLM Collaboration with University of Idaho	Karen Launchbaugh, Director, Rangeland Center, University of Idaho
12:30 p.m.	Lunch Break	
1:30 p.m.	Travel Management Planning	Shannon Bassista, Trails and Travel Planning State Lead, Idaho State Office, BLM; Tanya Thrift; Jeremy Casterson, Field Manager, Upper Snake Field Office, BLM
2:15 p.m.	Laws, regulations, policies, and processes governing mining on BLM-managed land	Kyle Rybacki, Geologist, Idaho State Office, BLM
3:00 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m.	Unprotected Lands During Wildfire in Idaho	Marty Adell, Deputy State Fire Management Officer, Idaho State Office, BLM
4:15 p.m.	Public Comment Period	
4:45 p.m.	Wrap-up	Peter Ditton, Scott Nichols, Skip Brandt

5:00 p.m.	Adjourn	
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